

STATE OF MAINE  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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BRUNSWICK AND TOPSHAM WATER DISTRICT  
Revision to Terms and Conditions

ORDER APPROVING  
TERMS & CONDITIONS

WELCH, Chairman; NUGENT and DIAMOND, Commissioners

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**SUMMARY**

The Commission approves the changes to the Brunswick and Topsham Water District (District) Terms and Conditions.

**BACKGROUND AND DECISION**

On April 13, 2001, the District filed with the Commission, pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 307, proposed revisions to its schedule of Terms and Conditions consisting of Sheet #3 – Second Revision and Sheet #5 - First Revision. The revisions were proposed to become effective on July 1, 2001.

The District proposed to increase its charges for Field Service Call, Temporary Shut-off and Resumption of Service, and Restoration of Service for Non-payment as shown below:

DESCRIPTION	BUSINESS HOURS		OTHER HOURS	
	Existing	Proposed	Existing	Proposed
Field Service Call			\$33	\$50*
Temporary Shut-off/Resumption	\$22	\$25	\$33	\$50*
Resumption for Non-payment	\$22	\$25	\$33	\$50*

\*Reflects a 2 hour minimum callback compensation requirement.

The effective date of the proposed Terms and Conditions was suspended for three months (from and including May 13, 2001) by Suspension Order No. 1, dated May 8, 2001, unless otherwise ordered.

We have now reviewed the proposed changes to the District's Terms and Conditions and find them to be acceptable.

Accordingly, we

O R D E R

1. That Suspension Order No. 1, issued May 8, 2001, is hereby lifted; and
2. That the Brunswick and Topsham Water District schedule of Terms and Conditions, consisting of Sheet #3 – Second Revision and Sheet #5 – First Revision, filed on April 13, 2001, are hereby approved to become effective for service rendered on or after July 1, 2001.

Dated at Augusta, Maine, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of May 2001

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

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Dennis L. Keschl  
Administrative Director

COMMISSIONERS VOTING FOR:    Welch  
   Nugent  
   Diamond

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